

PTO News – Feb 3 to Feb 9, 2019

Super Hero STEM night

Rosa Lee Carter Students and their Families are invited to our annual Family STEM Night on Friday, February 8th from 6-8pm. This family centered event is free for our RLC school community.

The teachers and staff at RLC have planned many amazing activities that are centered around Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics.

We need recyclables to help make these activities a success. Please send in any of the following items with your child to school. We will be collecting them over the next few weeks. Thank you for your assistance in helping our Superheroes!

*Water Bottles and soda plastic bottles (rinsed with caps)

*Cardboard

*Paper towel/toilet paper tubes

*Small cardboard boxes

*Tissue boxes

*Shoe boxes

*Cereal boxes

****We encourage everyone to come dressed as their favorite Super Hero. No masks or toy weapons of any kind****

Coyote Café

We are excited to announce that RLC PTO started a new monthly tradition by offering all RLC staff and teachers' free coffee, tea or hot chocolate. Our teachers and staff work tirelessly, and we would love to offer this as a small token of appreciation for their hard work!

A big thank you to all parent volunteers who are willing to help take care of our RLC Staff.

We will be posting volunteer requests on a monthly basis, so please keep a look out for that email!

We invite all RLC Parents and Patrons to donate generously to this fund that will be utilized exclusively for our Coyote Cafe related purchases to serve our RLC Staff.

Please visit www.rlcpto.org => [Staff Corner](#) => [Coyote Café](#) for accessing the donation link and more information.

International Dance Night (Formerly known as Bollywood)

We are looking for enthusiastic parent volunteers to lead our International Dance Night at RLC upcoming on April 6th, 2019.

This year we would like to open up this event to group dances from all cultures, i.e. **salsa/bachata, hip hop, Irish dance, folk, dragon/lion dances, as well as Bollywood**. Let's celebrate the rich diversity of our community!

Interested volunteers can reach out to secretary@rlcpto.org / vp-events@rlcpto.org to spearhead this fun-filled event by showcasing our coyote spirit!

Chess Tournament:

Please note the revised date for **Open Rated Chess Tournament** conducted by RLC PTO for K-5 is on **March 30th, 2019**. Stay tuned for more details to follow!

DMV Math Tournament

RLC PTO has launched DMV Math Tournament for 4th and 5th grade students across DC/MD/VA states.

Students enrolled in 4th and 5th grades of elementary schools are eligible to participate in this Tournament.

Teams can include up to 5 students and a coach.

Registrations can begin prior to identifying all 5 team members to lock in to the early bird pricing.

The tournament team can be formed with a mix of 4th and 5th grade students (from any school) but the team would be recognized according to the higher-grade student in the team.

Tournament Date & Time: Saturday, April 27th, 2019 from 9:00am – 3:30pm

Tournament Venue: Rosa Lee Carter Elementary School, 43330 Loudoun Reserve Dr, Ashburn, VA 20148

DMV Math Tournament will use the Math Olympiad program designed by MOEMS.

Awards

Certificates will be awarded to all participants of the tournament

Trophies will be awarded to the top 3 winning teams and top 3 individuals at each grade level (4th & 5th)

Tournament Price

Early Registration: \$125 per team if registered by newly extended dt. of Feb 7, 2019

Regular Registration: \$150 per team if registered by March 15, 2019

Late Registration: \$175 per team if registered from March 16, 2019, to April 13, 2019